

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE BEACON LIGHT.

BY MISS PARDOE.

Darkness was deepening o'er the sea,
And still the hulk drove on;
No sail to answer to the breeze,
Her masts and cordage gone;
Gloomy and drear her course of fear,
Each looked for but a grave—
When, full in sight, the Beacon Light
Came streaming o'er the wave.
Then wildly rose the gladdening shout
Of all that hardy crew;
Boatmen put the helm about,
And through the surf they flew;
Storm was forgot—till heeded not—
And lo! the cheer they gave—
As, full in sight, the Beacon Light
Came streaming o'er the wave.
And gaily of the toll they told,
When they were safe on shore;
How hearts had sunk and hopes grown cold
Amid the billows' roar;
When not a star had shone from far
By its pale beam to save—
Then, full in sight, the Beacon Light
Came streaming o'er the wave.
Thus, in the night of nature's gloom,
When sorrow bows the heart—
When cheering hopes no more illumine,
And prospects all depart—
Then from afar there shone a star,
With cheering light to save:
And full in sight, the Beacon Light
Came streaming o'er the wave!

THANKSGIVING ANECDOTE.

"Come Charles, my son," said deacon Allworthy, "take one of them turkeys and carry it up to Parson Moody, for thanksgiving."

"No father, I don't do that again, I tell ye!"

"What do I hear now, Charles!—These five and twenty years I have sent the Parson a turkey, and Joe has carried them, and Tom, and Jerry, and you, without refusing. What's the matter now?"

"Why, father, he never even thanks me for bringing it to him, and he took me to do, a while ago, because I started out of meeting too soon."

"Well Charles, you know it is a custom for the Minister to go out before any of the congregation starts; this is done as a mark of respect."

"Respect or not, he's nothing but a man, and as for creeping to him, I won't do it."

"Well, let it all pass, and carry him the turkey, and if he don't thank you, I will."

Charles shouldered the fowl, and in a short time was at the house of the minister, who was seated in his parlour, surrounded by a number of friends who had come to pass thanksgiving with him. The lad entered without knocking, and bringing the turkey from his shoulder heavily upon the table, said:

"Mr. Moody, there's a turkey father sent you; if you want it you may have it; if you don't I'll carry it back again."

"I shall be very glad of it," said the minister, "but I think you might learn a little manners, Charles; can you not do an errand any better?"

"How would you have me do it?" inquired Charles.

"Sit down in my chair," said the parson, "and I will show you."

Charles took the chair, while the divine took the turkey and left the room. He soon returned, took off his hat, made a bow, and said, "Mr. Moody, here is a turkey which my father sent you, and wishes you to accept of as a present."

Charles rose from his seat, took the fowl, and said to the minister, "it's a very fine one, and I feel very grateful to your father for it. In this and numerous other instances he has contributed to my happiness. If you will just carry it to the kitchen, and return again, I will call to Mrs. Moody to give you half a dollar."

The Parson walked out of the room, his friends laughing at the joke, and made up a purse for the lad, who ever afterwards received a reward for his services.

Night.—Silent and solemn night!—thou art ever sacred to my feelings! thou art the benefactress of the afflicted, whose tears thou driest! thou art the friend of the unfortunate, whose sorrows are forgotten in thy dreams! thou art the mother of the weary, who sink to repose in thy arms, and receive from thee new life and vigor! thou art an evidence of the majesty and power of God—of his unfathomable wisdom and ineffable goodness.

Where is the man that remains unmoved, when he walks forth in the solitary night, and beholds innumerable worlds spread out before him!—when the stillness of death reigns in the streets, which but a few hours before were alive with the throng and bustle of the crowd!—when the gardens, groves, and habitations of men are silent!—when the trees and flowers are enveloped in darkness, or seen in the pale and glimmering light of the moon! How insignificant would the earth appear, did she not receive a charm from the splendour of the midnight heavens!—where is the prowess of the mighty chief, when weariness comes upon him and he is bound in the arms of sleep?—what are all the riches of the earth, when their possessor, like one that is dead, slumbers unconscious of them all?

"Jonah Hunt."—Poor Josiah Hunt! we commiserate his situation. The reader will remember this is the individual advertised as having left the bed and board of Mrs. Laura Hunt, and "strayed to parts unknown." It will be remembered, too, that the forsaken Laura forbade all girls, old maids, or widows, to meddle with or mar-

ry said Josiah, under the penalty of the law; and earnestly entreated "editors throughout the world" to lay this caution before the public. It will, perhaps, not be forgotten, that her request was complied with in this paper some time since. The faithless rascal! we gave him a kick, and hoped never to have seen his face again. The other day, however, while rummaging through our exchange papers, who should we see but "Josiah Hunt" again, with some forty editors at his heels—kicking, cuffing, gouging, and biting at him, like mad! Forty editors upon one poor runaway henpecked husband!—poor fellow! But then he broke Laura's heart, and "strayed to parts unknown," the inconstant villain! Hurrah, boys!—give it to him!—Truth Teller.

SIGNIFICATION.

Of some of the most usual Christian names.

Anna	(derived from the Hebrew.)	Gracious.
Adelaide	German	A Princess.
Arnold	German	Maintainer of Honor.
Blanche	French	Fair.
Charles	German	Noble Spirited.
Catharine	Greek	Pure and Good.
Clara	Latin	Clear and Bright.
Caroline	Latin	Noble Minded.
Eunna	German	A Nurse.
Eliza	Hebrew	A Vow.
Edward	Saxon	Happy Keeper.
Edwin	Saxon	Happy Conqueror.
Edmund	Saxon	Happy Peace.
Frederick	German	Rich and Peaceful.
Francis	German	Free.
Felix	Latin	Happy.
George	Greek	A Farmer.
Gertrude	German	All Truth.
Henry	German	A Rich Lord.
Isabella	Spanish	Bright Brown Color.
Margaret	German	A Pearl.
Mary	Hebrew	Drop of Salt Water.
Martha	Hebrew	Bitterness.
Rebecca	Hebrew	Eat.
Robert	German	Famous in Council.
Sophia	Greek	Wisdom.
Susan	Hebrew	A Lady.
Thomas	Hebrew	A Twin.
Virginia	Latin	A Maiden.

A Runaway "Pink."—If Mr. Augustus Ballou isn't a good natured personage, we don't know who is. We should think, if any thing would sour a sweet disposition, and turn the milk of human kindness into the bonnyclapper of snarling surliness, the infidelity of one's "better half" would produce that sour-kroot result. But not so with Mr. Augustus Ballou; he claps on his cap of philosophy, and in his *love corner* thus communes with the muses, while he warns the public against harboring or trusting his quondam spouse "the worth of a straw," on peril of loss:

Whereas my pink my pretty toy
My wife my Isabel
Has left her home and her employer
And who she has gone I cannot tell,
This is to forbid all persons not to harbor nor trust

To her the worth of a straw, or lose it you must
For I am determined not to pay
A cent of her contracting in any way
Unless compelled by law. AUGUSTUS BALLOU.
She is old and ugly ill-natured and thin
For further particulars enquire at G. Allens Inn,
Enfield, Conn. March 15.

Marriage.—A good wife is Heaven's last best gift to man; his angel and minister of graces innumerable; his Sai Polychresium or gem of many virtues; his Pandora, or casket of jewels; her presence forms his best company; her voice his sweetest music; her smiles his brightest day; her kiss the balm of his health, the balsam of his life; her arms the guardian of his innocence, the pale of his safety; her industry his surest wealth, her economy his safest steward, her lips his faithful councillors, her bosom his safest pillow, and her prayers the ablest advocates of Heaven's blessings on his head. So if you prize pleasure, marry; if you desire health, marry; and if you value money, marry.

Friendship.—Monsieur de Sacy, in his Essay on Friendship, says: "The friendship which is recommended, is union of affections, springing from a generous respect to virtue, and is maintained by a harmony of manners. It is a great mistake to call every trifling commerce by this serious name; or to suppose that empty compliments and rituals of ceremony should pass for a real and well-established friendship, when no more is intended than to pass the time, and show the equipage."

Curious Epitaph.—The following is inscribed upon the tombstone of Xantippe Thomas, wife of Andrew Thomas, who scolded herself to death in the early part of the last century:

Here lies the wife of neighbor Thomas,
Whom death in mercy carried from us;
For, when alive, she was so old,
So ugly, snappish, such a scold,
That round about her for a mile,
All things were in a constant broil.
I've known her storm at such a rate,
That 'e'en the chimney back would sweat;
Trammels, through fear, forgot to hold,
And red-hot chunks of fire grew cold.
Her husband never dropped a tear
Till he had placed her body here,
And then he blubbered like a lout,
For fear she'd scratch her passage out.

REMEDIES.

For Sea-sickness—stay at home.
For Drunkenness—drink cold water,
and repeat the prescription until you obtain relief.

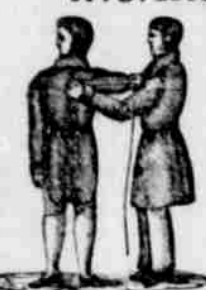
Cure for Love—avoid as much as possible the object of your affection, and when you chance to meet her, treat her with cold indifference—the reaction never fails to produce the desired effect.

To keep out of jail—get out and keep out of debt.

For the Caut—BOARD WITH A PRINTER.

"By Mathematics, and with skill,
"We make our customers look genteel."

W. J. Keahey & Co.



HAVING received from N. York the latest Spring and Summer Fashions, inform their friends that they are now ready to execute all orders in their line with neatness and despatch.—They take this opportunity of returning their grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of public patronage with which they have been favored. They think it not presumption to say, they are better prepared to give more general satisfaction than heretofore. To secure confidence, they solicit a fair trial. If misfit should ever occur, it is made good by the cash or a second trial at their own expense.
Charlotte, May, 1836. 94—3m

A Caution.

I HEREBY forewarn the public from trusting my wife Martha, as I will not be responsible for any debts that she may contract from this date.

JOHN MILLER.

May 15, 1836. 3wp

Sale of Land on Credit.

ON Monday the 6th day of June next, I will sell at the Courthouse in Charlotte, to the highest bidder, on a credit of 12 months, a plantation supposed to contain 160 acres, joining the lands of Nathan Orr, and Thomas Hunter, formerly owned by James Robinson, now deceased, the same being sold by virtue of a decree from the Court of Equity for the benefit of partition among his heirs. Satisfactory security will be required. D. R. DUNLAP, c. m. c.
April 20th, 1836. 89ds

Valuable Land for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale his Valuable Plantation on Rocky River, 9 miles west of Concord, Cabarrus County, containing 500 acres of first rate cotton land—170 acres nearly all newly cleared and in a high state of cultivation—extensive meadows—good improvements, principally frame, Gin house, Cotton press, Thrashing machine &c. The situation is noted for health. Terms made easy.

—ALSO—
A plantation 3 miles east of Charlotte, Mecklenburg county, of 350 or 400 acres; large Meadow, good improvements and fine Orchard of early and late fruit.

—ALSO—
A tract of 130 acres, all wood land, lying east of the Charlotte and Salisbury Road, joining the lands of Matthew and Francis Alexander, 3½ or 4 miles from Charlotte. For terms enquire of
A. F. ALEXANDER.
March 9, 1836.

410 PACKAGES OF Fresh Goods of the Latest Importation!

WE are now receiving and opening, a very large and splendid assortment of
**American, British, and India
Goods,**

purchased in the Cities of New York and Philadelphia, for CASH, and also before the late advance. However, our customers will see that our prices are a shade lower for goods, than formerly (except Sugar). Our present stock was selected with great care. Below we give the names of a few of our Goods—

Sup. Fine Blue and Black CLOTH,
Sap. do Adelaide (West of England)
Sap. Black French CASSIMERE,
do. Unimmon Drab. A splendid assortment of Summer cloth for gentlemen's wear, Ribbed buckskin Cassimere, assorted colors, do. Linen Drill, (a new article).
A fine assortment of Summer VESTINGS,
A tasty selection of fancy goods for ladies,
A splendid ass't. of rich fig. Silks, latest style Gros de Rhine, Col'd. Silk Shallette, fine article,
Painted Swiss Muslins, very handsome,
A great variety of English and French Painted Muslins, French Calico,
200 pieces of Calico, ass'd, from 10 cts. to 40 cts. per yard, a variety of new patterns,
A great variety of French Ginghams, ass'd. cols.
A fine assortment of Fancy Handkerchiefs, made of sewing Silk, new article,
Linen Hdkts, Long Lawn, large stock of Linens, Gloves, ass'd., Ladies silk-ribbed Hose, Black do. Black Lace Veils, Thread Lace, Inserting Muslin, Edging and Inserting, Plaid Silks for Ladies Dresses, new style, Ladies' Gravats, ass'd.
We have, also, a fine assortment of J. Tallman's BOOTS, No. 1, made to order. Ladies' SHOES made by Israel Robinson, to order, warranted.

BONNETS & HATS,

Young's AXES, best quality,
GROCERIES,
Superior Green Rio Coffee, Porto Rico Sugars, Wines, Molasses, Salt, Teas, (Imperial, Hyson, Gunpowder, and Black,) &c.
A good assort'm't. of Saddles, Bridle Bits, Martingales,
Rifle and Shot Guns, different qualities,
All the above articles we will sell as low as any other Merchants in town. We wish the people to call and examine our Stock of Goods.

A liberal discount to those who buy for CASH.
SMITH, WILLIAMS, & BOYD.
April 1, 1836.
Just received 7,000 pounds Porto Rico SUGAR, low for Cash,

A RIDING HORSE,
With or without Saddle, Bridle, &c., for sale cheap, at the Charlotte Hotel.

JOB PRINTING

Neatly executed at this Office. Orders will be thankfully received and punctually attended to.

Omnibus Concern

GOING AHEAD!

THE Travelling Public, and all others who may desire Private Conveyance from Charlotte to any other place, are informed that the undersigned have added to their Omnibus establishment a splendid BAROUCHE and SULKEY, and ADDITIONAL HORSES, either for Harness or the Saddle—so that all who may desire accommodation in their line may be assured of receiving prompt attention for the time to come.
B. P. BOYD & Co.
Dec. 23, 1835.



DYSPEPSIA

AND LIVER COMPLAINTS.

THE PATENT VEGETABLE MEDICINE, STOMACHIC ET HEPATICE, formed by chymical analysis and synthesis of several proximate vegetable principles, are universally acknowledged to have totally eclipsed the pretensions of every other remedy, and superceded the necessity of every other mode of treatment whenever the above diseases are found to exist, as well as in enlargement of the Spleen and in Jaundice.

Among the symptoms of Dyspepsia and Liver complaints, are flatulency, sourness or burning in the stomach, melancholy, irritability, disagreeable taste in the mouth; great irregularity of appetite, which is sometimes voracious, and at other times greatly deficient; thirst, fetid breath, nausea, weakness of the stomach, acid eructations, palpitation, drowsiness, irregularity of the bowels, pressure on the stomach after meals, pain in the head, dizziness or vertigo, confusion of mind, attended with loss of memory, a gnawing in the stomach when empty, chilliness, affection of sight and hearing, pain and weakness in the back, languor, disturbed sleep, cold feet and hands, tremor, uneasiness in the throat, cough, pain in the side or breast, &c.

DR. PETERS'

Vegetable Anti-Bilious Pills.

Are the cheapest and most approved Family Medicine ever offered to the Public. They are extremely mild in their operation, neither causing sickness of the stomach, nor any unpleasant sensation in the system, as is too frequently the result from medicines given to act upon the bowels. They act specifically upon the Liver, when in a torpid condition, carrying off a large quantity of bile, through the influence of the excrement function, which, if suffered to remain in the system, would produce either Jaundice, Liver Complaint, Bilious Fever, Fever and Ague, or some other grievous bodily affliction. In all cases of torpor of the bowels, they act like a charm. In recent cases of Dyspepsia, they are a certain cure. Many persons who were subject to violent attacks of sick head-ache, have been much benefited, and several perfectly cured in a few weeks by their use. They are highly recommended as a preventative and cure of Bilious complaints. Persons who are subject to that distressing complaint, sea-sickness, by taking a portion or two of them a few days previous to embarking on board the vessel, will be almost certain to escape it. Females can use them at all periods, without incurring any risk. Their virtues will remain unimpaired for years in any climate. No family should be without these Pills; a portion of them, taken occasionally, would be the means of preventing much suffering from sickness. It is from neglect of keeping up a regular peristaltic action of the stomach and bowels, thus suffering to be absorbed and mingled with the blood, unassimilated fluids, that most diseases are produced. Dr. P. feels confident that no person who gives these Pills a fair trial, will ever after feel willing to be without them. The testimony of thousands speaking in the highest terms of their efficacy, might be added, but the very high reputation Dr. P. has acquired as the inventor of the "Patent Vegetable Medicine Stomachic et Hepatic," for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver complaints, is thought a sufficient guarantee to those wishing to make a trial of their virtues. They contain not a particle of Mercury, or any ingredient that does not act in harmony with health and oppose disease.

Dr. P. having been educated under the most eminent American and European Medical professors, and practiced his profession many years in the South, where diseases of the most obstinate character prevail, considers himself well qualified to judge on the nature of diseases incident to warm climates.

Prepared by JOSEPH PRIESTLY PETERS, M. D. P. B. C. P. M. at his Institution for the cure of obstinate Diseases, by means of vegetable remedies, No. 129 Liberty-street, New York, inventor and sole proprietor. Each box contains forty Pills, Price 50 CENTS.

These invaluable Medicines are sold in Charlotte by Smith & Williams; in Concord by P. B. Barringer, and in Salisbury by John Murphy, where numerous certificates of their efficacy can be seen.

JOS. PRIESTLY PETERS.

Jan. 1, 1836.

NEW GOODS.



THE Subscriber has lately returned from the North, where he has selected, with care and taste, some Fine & Fashionable Articles, which he offers to the public at reduced prices. The leading ones are: Gold and Silver Patent Lever, Lepine, and Plain English and Swiss WATCHES, Gold Guard CHAINS, also, Fob do. Ladies Fine Gold NECKLACE, Gold, Silver, and Steel Spectacle Frames, with glasses, (white, green, blue, and azure,) to suit all ages and sights, GOLD KEYS, for Gentlemen and Ladies.

IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE, HE HAS JUST RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES FROM THE NORTH, VIZ:

Brittania-ware in full sets, Fine Plated Castles, Snuffers and Trays, Plated Castors, Rogers' Pen and Pocket Knives, Razors and Scissors, best Cloth Brushes, Hair do., Table and Tooth do., a variety of PER- FUMERY of the best quality, Walking Sticks and Riding Switches, Fine Pistols, (English and French,) Snuff Boxes, Percussion Caps, Pocket Books, Emerson's Fine Razor Straps, Boxes and Brushes, &c.

The above articles, added to his former stock of Watches and Jewelry, will embrace a variety, which will be sold low for Cash, or on short credit to punctual dealers.

THOMAS TROTTER.

Charlotte, November, 1835. 704f
N. B. Those who have long Standing Accounts will remember that most need money to carry on business.



A Splendid Line of Hacks,

FROM

Salisbury to Raleigh, N. C.

THE SUBSCRIBERS, anxious to afford every facility to the Travelling Public, now announce that they have completed all their arrangements, and can with truth say, We present you with a Line of Hacks possessing advantages over any other, if you wish to get on with ease and despatch—having obtained that great desideratum with all Travellers—no detention on the road. It is so arranged as to correspond, in its arrivals at Raleigh, with the departure of the following stages, viz: The Great Day Line to Blakely, North Carolina, passing through Louisville, Warrenton, and Halifax; at the latter place a Line of Stages communicates with the Portsmouth Railroad for Norfolk; by continuing on to Blakely, you strike the Petersburg Railroad; and on your arrival at that place you have the choice of two Lines—either by land to Washington City, via Richmond and Fredericksburg, or by Steam Boat to Norfolk. At Norfolk there will be no detention, as there is a line of Stage-Boats for Baltimore in connexion with this line. This line also connects with one from Raleigh to Newbern.

Leaves the Mansion Hotel, Salisbury, TUESDAY and SATURDAY at 9 o'clock, A. M.—after the arrival of the Piedmont Stage from the South—arrives in Raleigh next days at 9 o'clock, P. M.—Leaves Raleigh TUESDAY and SATURDAY at 2 o'clock, A. M., arrives in Salisbury next days at 4 o'clock, P. M.—allowing sufficient time on the road for SLEEP.

The Hacks are Albany make, entirely new, and cannot be surpassed for comfort and ease; the Teams are excellent, the Drivers careful and attentive, and the Fare but—only SEVEN DOLLARS. All intermediate distances 7 cents per mile.

Passengers from the South, who wish to take our Line, will be careful to enter Salisbury only.

All Bunkies and Packages at the rate of the owners.

WILLIS MORING,

JOSEPH L. MORING.

April 11, 1835.

The Fare from Raleigh to Washington City amounts to \$19 50, as follows:

From Raleigh to Blakely, Stage Fare, \$7
Blakely to Petersburg, Rail-Road Fare, 3
Petersburg to Richmond, Stage Fare, 14
Richmond to Fredericksburg, Stage Fare, 6
Fredericksburg to Washington City, 3
Steam-Boat Fare, 3
The Steam-Boat Fare from Petersburg to Baltimore, via Norfolk, is Four Dollars.

Paper for Sale.

JUST received and for sale, 4 reams of Imperial, 20 reams super-royal, and 4 reams medium printing paper, and 12 reams writing paper. Also, several reams wrapping paper. The above paper will be sold low for cash, or on short credit to punctual dealers. For further information, enquire at the Printing Office.

State of the Markets, &c.

CHERAW—MAY 23.			
con,	12 3/4	Molasses,	40 a 45
gging,	20 a 26	Nails,	7 1/2
tion,	14 a 16	Rope,	11 a 12 1/2
14 a 17 1/2		Sugar, brown,	12 1/2 a 14
80 a 90		" Loaf & Lump,	60 a 65
7 a 8 1/2		Salt, Liverpool,	75 a 80
4 1/2 a 5 1/2		" in sacks,	2 40 a 2 1/2

CAMDEN—MAY 21.

Cotton,	14 a 18 1/2	Bacon, cwt,	60 a 16
Corn, bush,	90 a 95	Whiskey,	35 a 40
Wheat,	8 1/2 a 8 1/2	Brandy, Peach,	60 a 65
Flour, country, 8 1/2 a 9 1/2		" Apple,	60 a 65